



**US Army Corps
of Engineers**

Portland District

PUBLIC NOTICE

for Permit Modification

Issue Date: June 6, 2003

Expiration Date: July 7, 2003

Corps of Engineers Action ID: 200200040

30-Day Notice

Interested parties are hereby notified that an application has been received for a Department of the Army permit for certain work in waters of the United States, as described below and shown on the attached plan.

Comments: Comments on the described work should reference the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers number shown above and should reach this office no later than the above expiration date of this Public Notice to become part of the record and be considered in the decision. Comments should be mailed to the following address:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
ATTN: CENWP-OP-GE(Ms. Teena Monical)
Eugene Field Office
1600 Executive Parkway Suite 210
Eugene, Oregon 97401-2156

Applicant: American Bridge Company (ABC)
P.O. Box 236
Reedsport, Oregon 97467

Location: The project site is on Bolon Island, Umpqua River, Mile 10.5. The site is near Reedsport, Douglas County, Oregon at Township 21 South, Range 12 West, Section 27.

Project Description: In March 2003, the Corps of Engineers issued a permit to ABC authorizing the construction of a new 4,650 square foot, T-shaped dock to be constructed within the footprint of a larger existing dock. A 15-foot by 23-foot prefabricated floating dock was to have been secured to the main dock. The project as originally proposed did not involve the discharge of dredged or fill material. ABC has since modified their project design.

ABC is now proposing to construct a dock on fill material contained by a bulkhead. The dock would measure 50 feet wide and 70 feet long. Sheet pile would be driven around the perimeter and backfilled with material dredged from an area fronting the proposed structure and with imported fill. The applicant is also proposing to construct a pile supported structure to hold a steel stiff-leg derrick. The structure would be constructed by driving three, 4-pile (24 inch diameter) steel piling. Concrete, poured in place, would be used to create the pile caps. Vessels utilizing the facility would be tied to pile dolphins connected by a two-foot wide walkway (Drawing No. 8).

The applicant is proposing to remove up to 1,100 cubic yards (CY) of sediment from a dredging prism measuring 40 feet by 60 feet. The area would be dredged to a depth of minus 18 feet mean higher high water (MHHW). Current bottom depths range from a minus 5 feet to a minus 17 feet MHHW. The applicant estimates 70 CY of sediment would need to be removed bi-annually to maintain adequate depths. A clamshell dredge would be used for the initial dredging. Maintenance dredging would be accomplished with a hydraulic backhoe operated from the dock. The material would be placed within the facilities yard area.

The proposed project also includes removal of an existing 15,000 square foot L-shaped timber dock. Approximately 254 existing wood pilings would be removed.

If a permit is issued, the Corps will determine what is appropriate and practicable compensatory mitigation. The amount of compensatory mitigation required shall be commensurate with the anticipated impacts of the project.

Purpose: The upland site is being redeveloped, and the dock will be used to receive raw materials as well as transport the finished project.

Drawings: Eight (8) drawings are attached.

Additional Information: Additional information may be obtained from Ms. Teena Monical, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at (541) 465-6877.

Authority: This permit will be issued or denied under the following:

Section 10, Rivers and Harbors Act 1899 (33 U.S.C. 403), for work in or affecting navigable waters of the United States.

Section 404, Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1344), for discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States.

Water Quality Certification: A permit for the described work will not be issued until certification, as required under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (P.L. 95-217), has been received or is waived from the certifying state. Attached is the state's notice advertising the request for certification.

Section 404(b)(1) Evaluation: The impact of the activity on the public interest will be evaluated in accordance with the Environmental Protection Agency guidelines pursuant to Section 404(b)(1) of the Clean Water Act.

Coastal Zone Management Act Certification: A permit for the described work will not be issued until the state has concurred with the applicant's certification that the described activity affecting land or water uses in the Coastal Zone complies with the State Coastal Zone Management Program. Section 307(c)(3) of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended by 16 U.S.C. 1456(c)(3) requires the applicant to provide a Certification of Consistency statement. If the state fails to concur or object to the certification statement within six months, state concurrence shall be conclusively presumed. Attached to this Public Notice is a notice of application for Certification of Consistency with the State's Coastal Zone Management Program.

Public Hearing: Any person may request in writing within the comment period specified in this notice that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Requests for public hearings shall state with particularity the reasons for holding a public hearing.

Endangered Species: Preliminary determinations indicate that the described activity will not effect endangered species or their critical habitat designated as endangered under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (87 Stat. 844). Formal consultation under Section 7 of the Act is not required for the described activity.

Cultural Resources: The described activity is not located on property registered or eligible for registration in the latest published version of the National Register of Historic Places. File records indicate the potential that a prehistoric site may be located in the permit area, which may be associated with camas meadows. This notice has been provided to the State Historic Preservation Office.

Evaluation: The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impact including cumulative impacts of the described activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit, which reasonably may be expected to accrue from the described activity, must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors, which may be relevant to the described activity, will be considered including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, historic properties, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, floodplain values, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food and fiber production, mineral needs, consideration of property ownership, and in general, the needs and welfare of the people.

The Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public; Federal, state, and local agencies and officials; Indian Tribes; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this proposed activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps of Engineers to determine whether to issue, modify, condition, or deny a permit for this proposal. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are used in the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the proposed activity.

Additional Requirements: State law requires that leases, easements, or permits be obtained for certain works or activity in the described waters. These State requirements must be met where applicable and a Department of the Army permit must be obtained before any work within the applicable Statutory Authority previously indicated may be accomplished. Other local governmental agencies may also have ordinances or requirements, which must be satisfied before the work is accomplished.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

Water Quality 401 Certification

Corps of Engineers Action ID Number: 200200040

Notice Issued: June 6, 2003
Written Comments Due: July 7, 2003

WHO IS THE APPLICANT: American Bridge Company (ABC)

LOCATION OF CERTIFICATION ACTIVITY: See attached U.S. Army Corps of Engineers public notice.

WHAT IS PROPOSED: See attached U.S. Army Corps of Engineers public notice on the proposed project.

NEED FOR CERTIFICATION: Section 401 of the Federal Clean Water Act requires applicants for Federal permits or licenses to provide the Federal agency a water quality certification from the State of Oregon if the proposed activity may result in a discharge to surface waters.

DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGES: See attached U.S. Army Corps of Engineers public notice on the proposed project.

WHERE TO FIND DOCUMENTS: Documents and related material are available for examination and copying at Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division, 811 S.W. Sixth Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204-1390.

While not required, scheduling an appointment will ensure documents are readily accessible during your visit. To schedule an appointment please call Ms. Alice Kavajecz at (503) 229-6962.

Any questions on the proposed certification may be addressed to the 401 Program Coordinator at (503) 229-5845, or toll free within Oregon at 1-800-452-4011. People with hearing impairments may call DEQ's TTY at (503) 229-6993.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

Public Hearing: Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 340-48-0020 (6) states that "The Director shall provide an opportunity for the applicant, any affected state, or any interested agency, person, or group of persons to request or petition for a public hearing with respect to certification applications. If the Director determines that new information may be produced thereby, a public hearing will be held prior to the Director's final determination. Instances of doubt shall be resolved in favor of holding the hearing. There shall be public notice of such a hearing."

Written comments:

Written comments on the proposed certification must be received at the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality by 5 p.m. on June 13, 2003. Written comments should be mailed to Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Attn: 401 Program Coordinator, 811 S.W. Sixth Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204-1390 or faxed to (503) 229-6124. *People wishing to send written comments via e-mail should be aware that if there is a delay between servers or if a server is not functioning properly, e-mails may not be received prior to the close of the public comment period.* People wishing to send comments via e-mail should send them in Microsoft Word (through version 7.0), WordPerfect (through version 6.x) or plain text format at deq.infor@deqstate.or.us. Otherwise due to conversion difficulties, DEQ recommends that comments be sent in hard copy.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT: DEQ will review and consider all comments received during the public comment period. Following this review, the permit may be issued as proposed, modified, or denied. You will be notified of DEQ's final decision if you present either oral or written comments during the comment period. Otherwise if you wish to receive notification, please call or write DEQ at the above address.

ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION: This publication is available in alternate format (e.g. large print, Braille) upon request. Please contact DEQ Public Affairs at (503) 229-5766 or toll free within Oregon at 1-800-452-4011 to request an alternate format. People with a hearing impairment can receive help by calling DEQ's TTY at (503) 229-6993.

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OREGON COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

CONSISTENCY CERTIFICATION

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Corps of Engineers Action ID Number: 200200040

Oregon Division of State Lands Number:

NOTIFICATION

For projects subject to coastal zone review, notice is hereby given that the project is being reviewed by the Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) as provided in Section 307(c) of the Coastal Zone Management Act. The applicant believes that the activities described in the attached materials would comply with and be conducted in a manner consistent with the Oregon Coastal Management Program. Project information can be made available for inspection at DLCD's Salem office.

DLCD is hereby soliciting public comments on the proposed project's consistency with the Oregon Coastal Management Program. Written comments may be submitted to DLCD, 635 Capital St. NE, Suite 200, Salem, OR 97301-2540, attention consistency review specialist. Any comments must be received by DLCD on or before the comment deadline listed in the federal notice. For further information, you may call DLCD at (503) 373-0050, ext. 250.

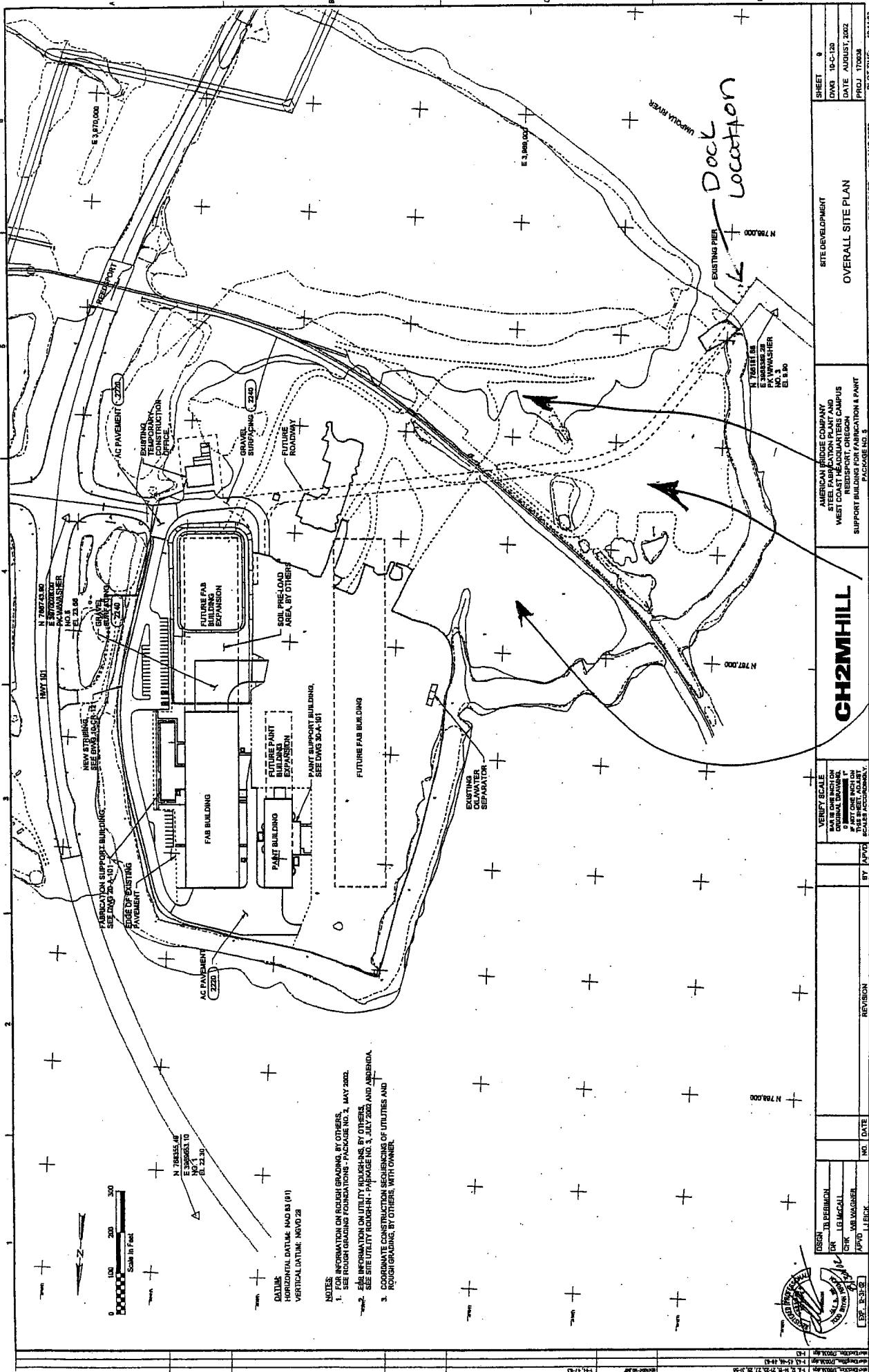
REVIEW CRITERIA

Comments should address consistency with the applicable elements of the Oregon Coastal Management Program. These elements include:

- Acknowledged Local Comprehensive Plans & Implementing Ordinances
- Statewide Planning Goals
- Applicable State Authorities (e.g. Removal-Fill Law and Oregon Water Quality Standards)

INCONSISTENT

If you believe this project is inconsistent with the Oregon Coastal Management Program, your comments to DLCD should explain why you believe the project is inconsistent and should identify the Oregon Coastal Management Program element(s) in question. You should also describe how the project could be modified, if possible, to make it consistent with the Oregon Coastal Management Program.

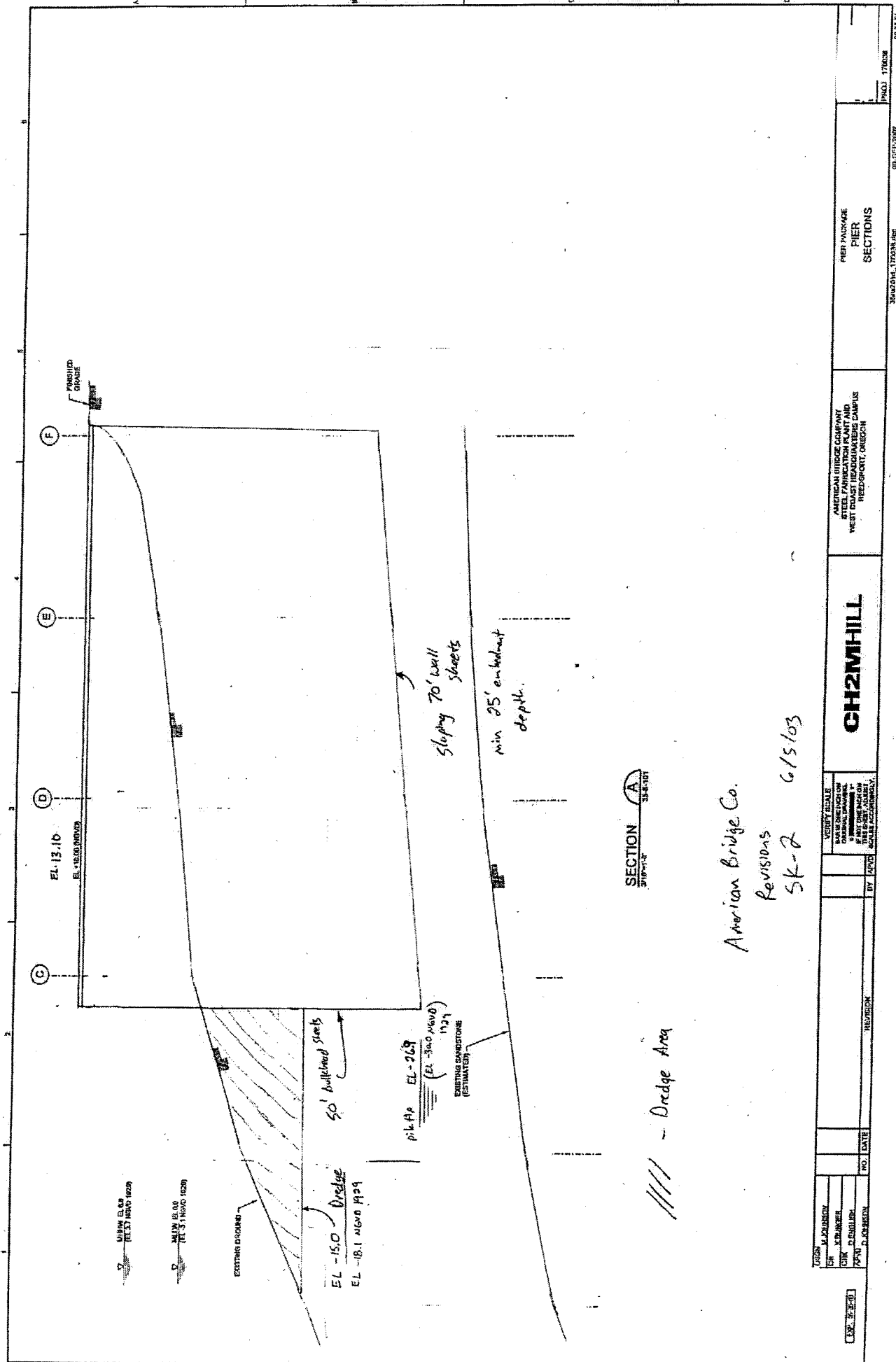


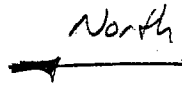
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- NOTES**
1. SEE INFORMATION ON GROUND GRADING, BY OTHERS.
SEE "GROUND GRADING FOUNDATIONS" PACKAGE NO. 2, MAY 2002.
 2. SEE INFORMATION ON UTILITY RELATIONS, BY OTHERS.
SEE "SITE UTILITY INFORMATION" PACKAGE NO. 1, JULY 2002 AND ADDENDA.
 3. COORDINATE CONSTRUCTION SEQUENCING OF UTILITIES AND
GROUND GRADING, BY OTHERS, WITH OWNER.

★ Deposit Maintenance Dredging
through out low-lying yard
areas.

 AMERICAN BRIDGE COMPANY PORTLAND, OREGON	CHECKED BY	DATE	NO.	DATE	REVISION	BY	VERIFY SCALE	AMERICAN BRIDGE COMPANY STEEL FABRICATION PLANT AND WEST COAST HEADQUARTERS CAMPUS REHSFORD, OREGON	PER PACKAGE <i>ALT #4</i> FACILITY LAYOUT	SHEET 2 DWG. 34-101 DATE SEPTEMBER, 2 PROJ. 17038
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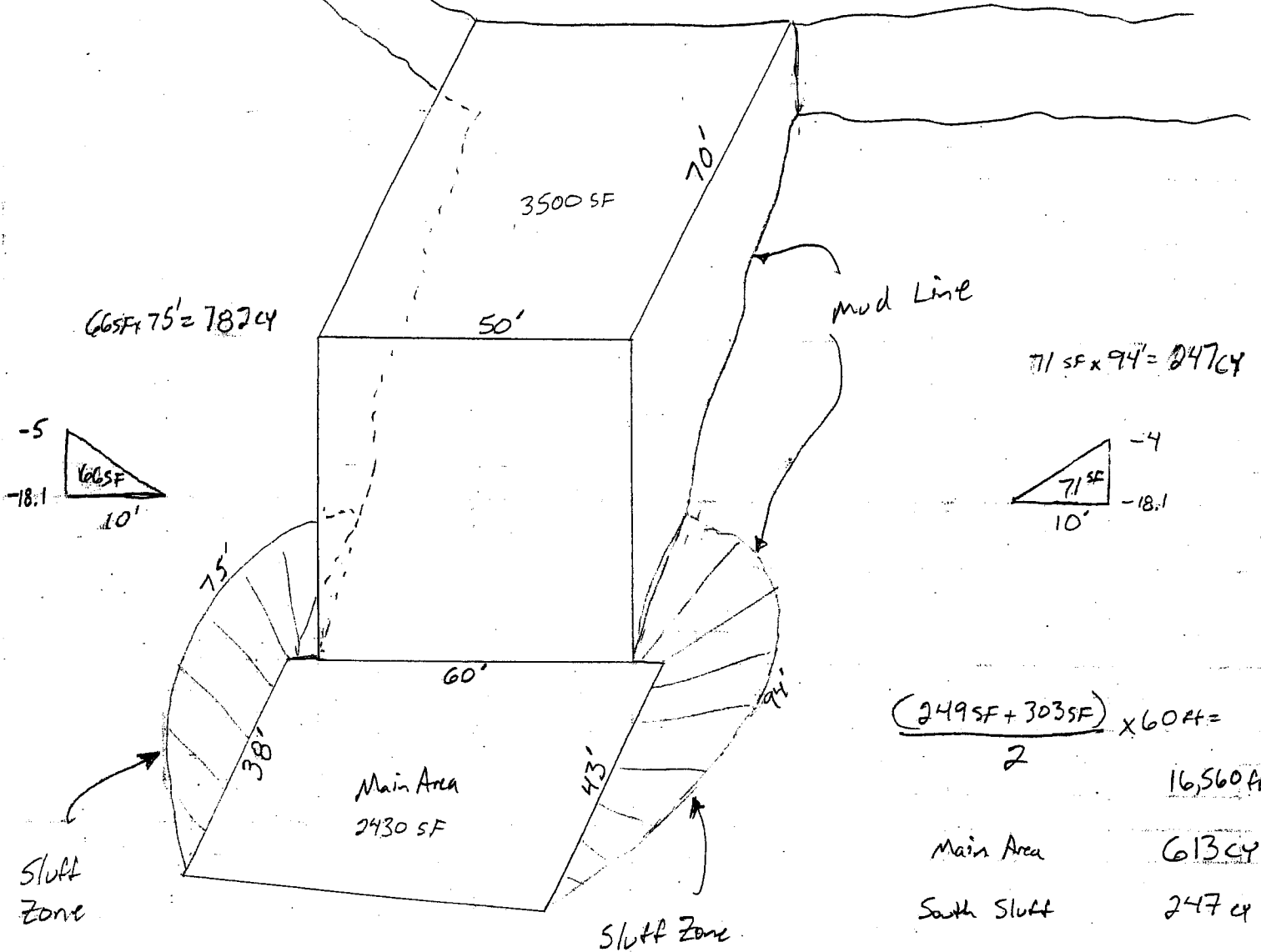




Bolan Island

PROJECT Reedsport Dock

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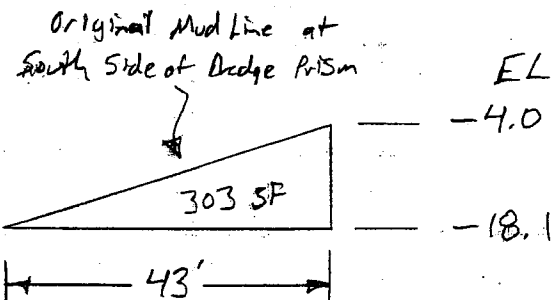
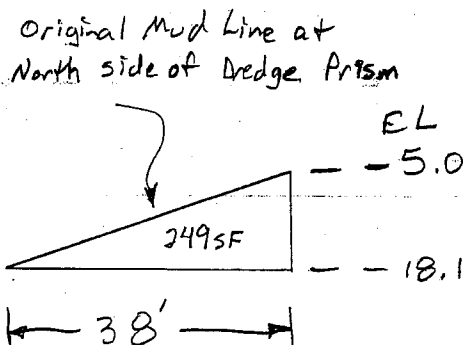
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Main Area 613 CY

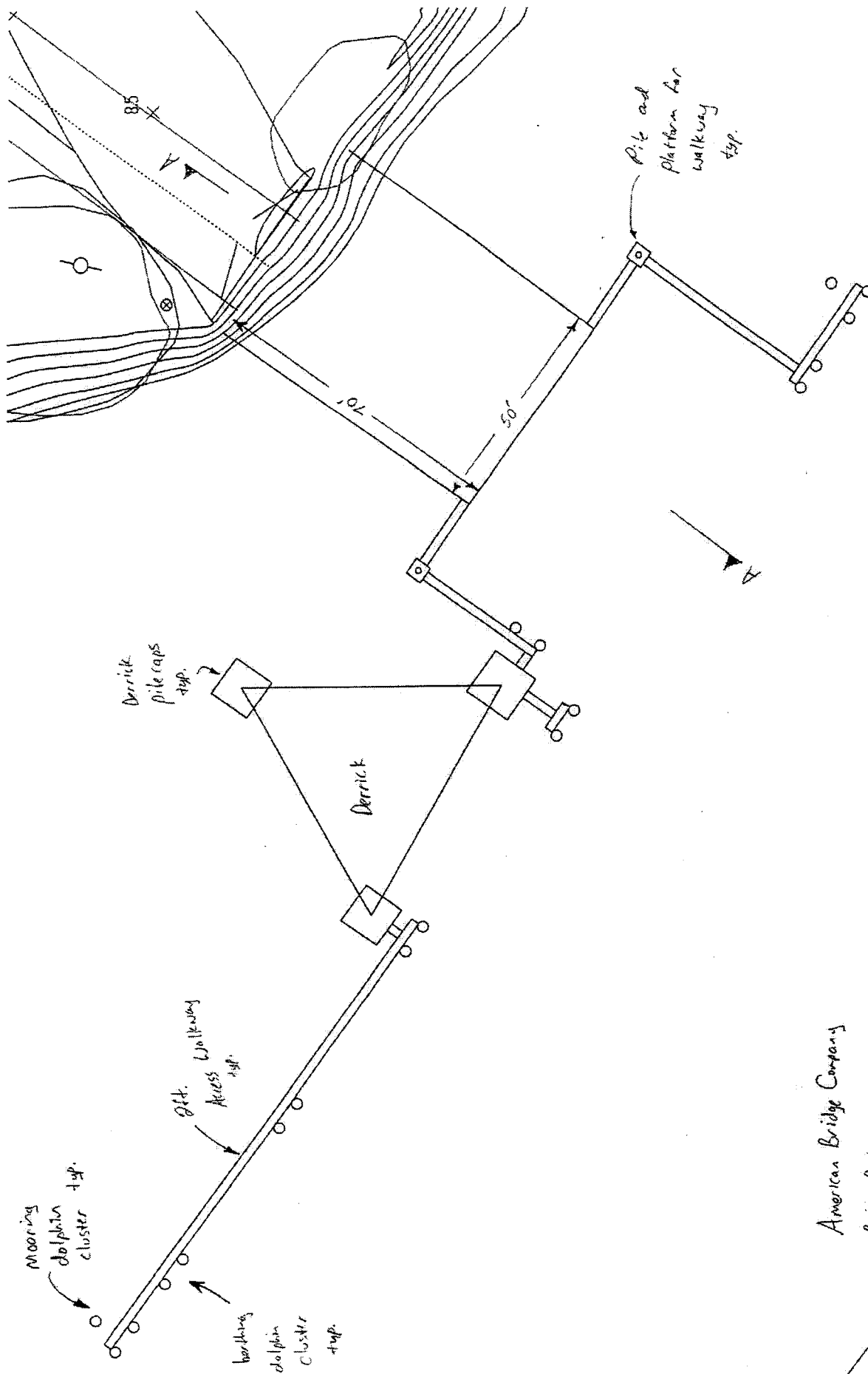
South Sluff 247 CY

North Sluff 187 CY

Total Initial Dredge 1,042 CY



Impact Total Area - 5930 SF (0.136 acres)



American Bridge Company

Revised Deck

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6/5/03

